

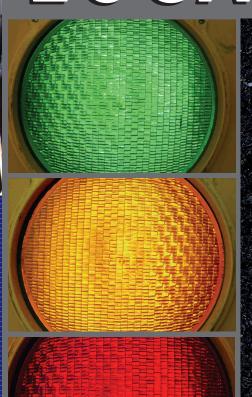
Just recently Congressman Baker joined in the groundbreaking of the important Juban Road Interchange at I-12. Baker played a leading role in securing \$21 million for this project.

The Juban Road Interchange, combined with the proposed Pete's Highway Interchange in Denham Springs will be like "bypass surgery" in alleviating congestion in one of the fastest growing areas of the state.

Congressman Baker plays an instrumental role in funding road projects and making them a reality. See the listing at right to see where Congressman Baker is working in your area.

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SINCE 1998
CONGRESSMAN RICHARD H. BAKER

HAS SECURED MORE THAN \$130 MILLION
FOR SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS\*.

Essen Lane Interchange
Harding Rd. Improvements
LA 30 Improvements
LA 42 Improvements
Pete's Hwy Interchange
Perkins Rd. Widening
Light Signal Synchronization
Central Thruway
Baton Rouge Airport
Baton Rouge ITS
St. Landry Road
Ways to Work
LA 73 improvements
LA1/I-10 Connector study
Downtown Baton Rouge Park

Loop/Bypass study

O'Neal Lane Improvements
Burbank Dr. Improvements
Essen Park Extension
Hooper Rd. Improvement study
Cook Road Improvements
LA 1148 Extension
LA 10/Zachary Taylor Pkwy
Pointe Clair Expressway

BR Advanced Transportation Technology Center

Baton Rouge
Downtown Development District

West Baton Rouge Parish Joint Communications Center Baton Rouge Bus Rapid Transit

#### FEDERAL FUNDS MUST BE MATCHED WITH STATE AND LOCAL FUNDING.

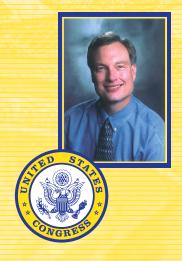
THEREFORE, THE TOTAL IMPACT OF THESE DOLLARS ON LOUISIANA'S SIXTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT IS \$167 MILLION.

\*Includes funds in pending legislation









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#### **Dear Friend:**

We have both sat in frustrating traffic long enough to appreciate the growing congestion tangle that has ensnarled the Baton Rouge area. But here's another way to look at it: Annually, congestion costs Americans \$67 billion in lost productivity and wasted fuel. It costs 3.6 billion hours of delay and 5.7 billion gallons of fuel – averaging \$1,160 per driver! Sadly, substandard road conditions impact 1/3 of the 42,000 fatalities on America's roads.

As a senior member of the House Transportation & Infrastructure Committee, I am proud to have co-authored a \$284 billion bill to help improve our nation's ailing transportation system. This bill raises NO taxes and will increase funds to improve Louisiana's roads. Please visit my web site at www.baker.house.gov to learn more.



## NATIONAL VIEW

# TRANSPORTATION EQUITY ACT

A ROAD MAP TO FEDERAL TRANSPORTATION SPENDING

Congressman Baker is **co-author** of H.R. 3, the federal highway bill being considered in Congress.

This \$284 billion bill means more highway money for Louisiana and the Sixth Congressional District.

\$62 million specifically for Sixth Congressional District; \$3.2 billion over 5 years for Louisiana; \$302 million more than what the state now receives;

Does NOT raise federal fuel taxes.

This bill is currently under consideration in Congress and can be amended.

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